

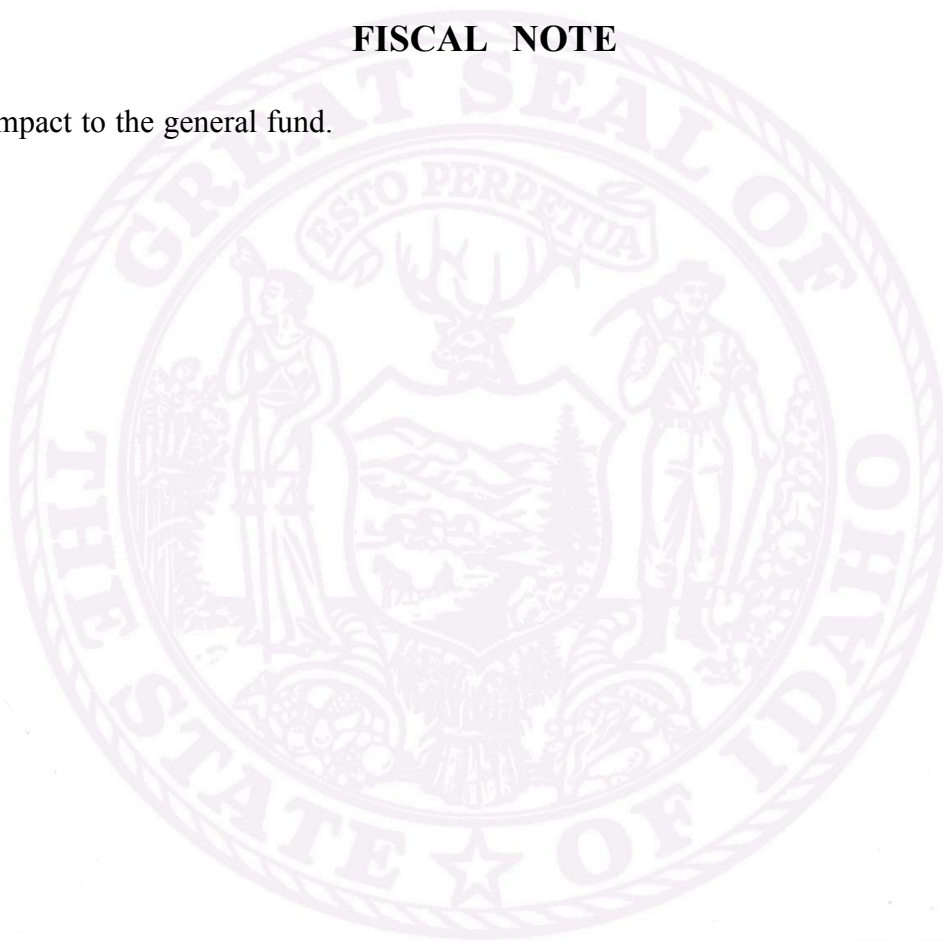
## **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

### **RS21798C1**

This bill prohibits the use of credit and debit cards and other electronic fund transfers for purchasing lottery tickets. It also requires that any customer operated lottery gaming devices accept only currency or coins. Currently lottery rules allow the use of credit card or debit cards, however, the lottery commission to date has not fully implemented the full measure of that authority. Only debit cards are currently allowed for over the counter transactions with limitations, and all lottery game or vending devices currently require currency or coin. This bill would reverse the administrative rules giving authority to permit credit and debit card lottery purchases.

### **FISCAL NOTE**

No fiscal impact to the general fund.



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